

South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control  
Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management  
1362 McMillan Avenue, Suite 400  
Charleston, South Carolina 29405

**October 10, 2013**  
**Permit Application Public Notice**

***City of Isle of Palms, OCRM-13-256-B***

The Department has received an application for a permit for the alteration of a critical area. The application was submitted pursuant to the Coastal Zone Management Act (Act 123) of 1977 South Carolina General Assembly. The application in brief, is described as follows:

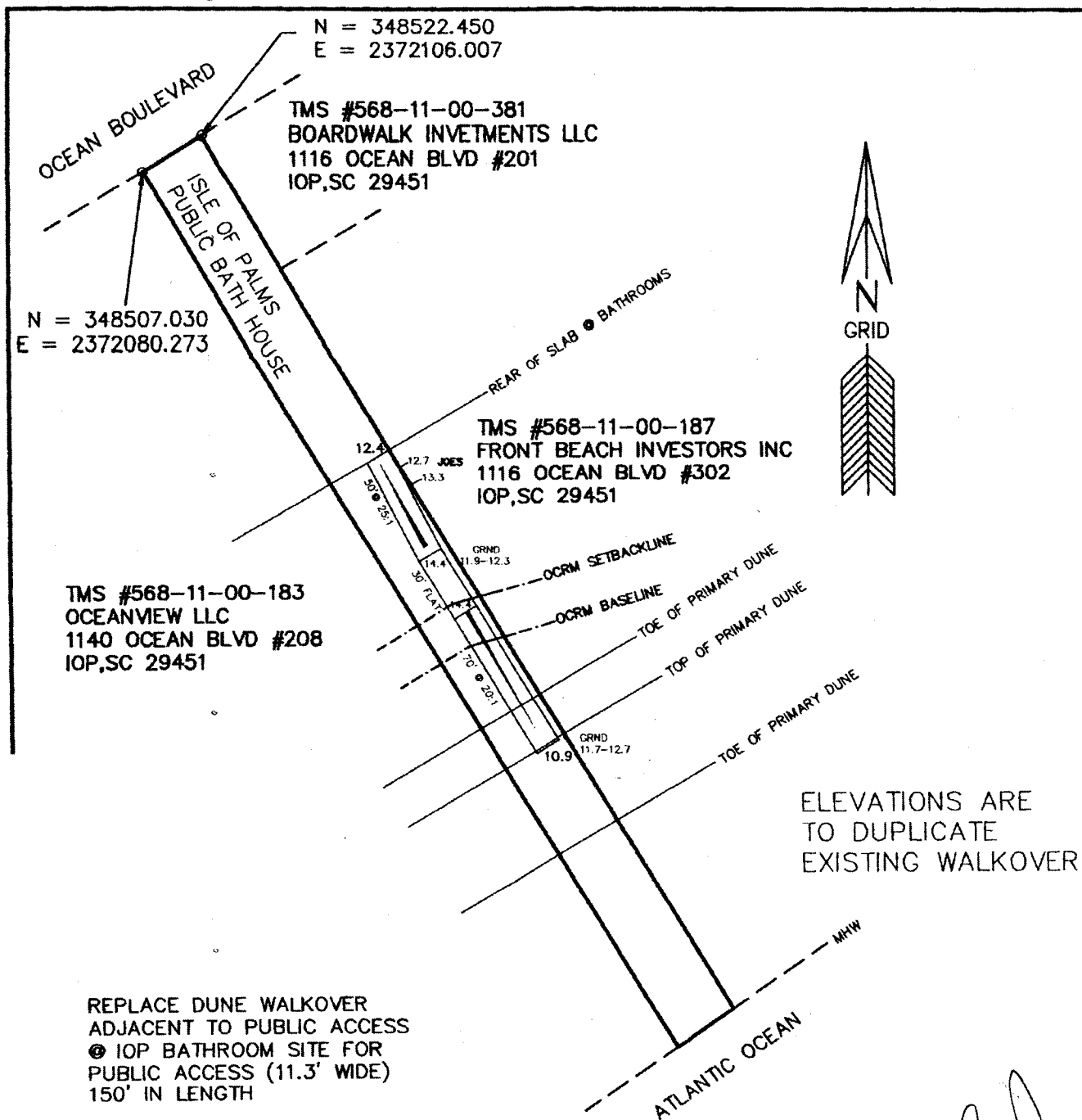
**LOCATION:** On and adjacent to Atlantic Ocean at 1118 Ocean Boulevard, Isle of Palms, Charleston County, South Carolina.  
TMS: 568-11-00-185, 186, 245.

**WORK:** The work as proposed consists of constructing a beach access. Specifically, the applicant seeks to remove and replace the existing beach access at the public restrooms with an 11' x 150' wooden emergency vehicle access way. The access way will also be open for use by pedestrians when not being used by emergency vehicles. The work as describe is for improved safety for beach visitors.

This public notice is being distributed to all known interested persons and agencies to assist in developing facts on which a decision by the Department can be based. Comments concerning the proposed work must be submitted in writing, setting forth sufficient detail to furnish a clear understanding of the reasons for support or opposition.

Comments regarding this application must be received by the Department on or before **November 9, 2013**. For more information, please contact:  
**Steve Brooks** at 843-953-0235 or via email at [brookss@dhec.sc.gov](mailto:brookss@dhec.sc.gov).

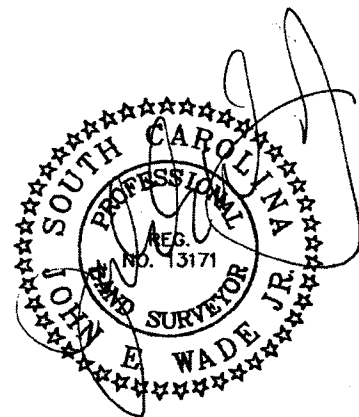
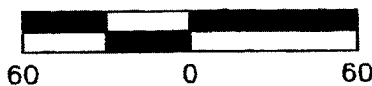
**NOTE:** Plans depicting the proposed work are available and will be provided upon receipt of a written request or may be viewed on the Department website at [www.scdhec.gov/environment/ocrm/public\\_notice.htm](http://www.scdhec.gov/environment/ocrm/public_notice.htm).



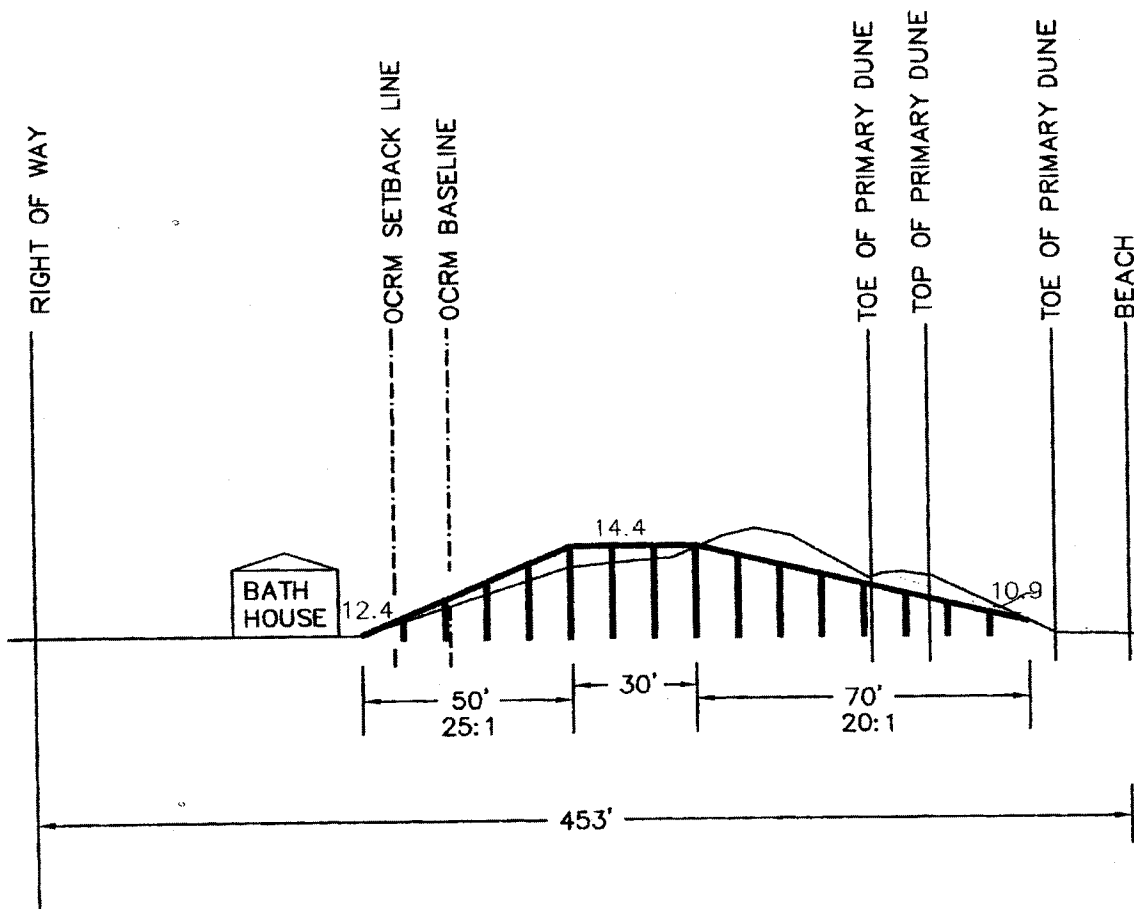
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1118 OCEAN BOULEVARD  
FRONT BEACH  
CITY OF ISLE OF PALMS  
CHARLESTON COUNTY  
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ATLANTIC OCEAN

FILE # 181-05C

DATE: APRIL 16, 2012  
SCALE: 1" = 60'



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11.3' WIDE  
WALKWAY SURFACE



PILES ON 10' CENTERS

ELEVATIONS ARE  
TO DUPLICATE  
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**DESCRIBE THE DIMENSIONS, GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS, AND PURPOSE OF THE PROJECT:**

Remove and replace the existing beach access at the public restrooms with a 150'x11' wooden emergency vehicle access way, as allow by OCRM's Regulation 30-13(H)(1). This site is located 0.8 miles from the nearest emergency vehicle access way (located at 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue). The access way will be elevated except for the points of entry and exit. At times when the access way is not being used by emergency vehicles, it will be open to use by pedestrians.

**ADDITIONAL REMARKS:**

Currently, public safety personnel have to travel approximately two miles, sometimes on relatively low speed four-wheelers, from the Public Safety Building to the busiest section of the beach. This improvement will cut the distance to only 400 feet, which will greatly reduce response time, which will greatly improve the safety for the visitors to the beach.

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